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## CASA - COMMITTEE ON AID TO SCHOLARLY ACTIVITY

The Committee on Aid to Scholarly Activity (CASA) is once more inviting applications from full-time faculty members for Seed Money for Research Projects.

The deadline dates for application to the Secretary of CASA (BC-318) for these research project proposals will be:

October 31, 1985
March 31, 1986

Please read the Instruction Sheet carefully prior to completing the form.

### Application Forms

Application forms are available from the Office of Research Services or from your CASA representatives who are as follows:

| | Department | Local |
|---|---|---|
| Assoc. Prof. V.V. Baba | Management | 2918 |
| Prof. G. Coldevin | Education | 2007 |
| Asst. Prof. C. MacKenzie | Art History | 4604 |
| Assoc. Prof. J.D. McLaughlin | Biology | 3409 |
| Prof. H.B. Poorooshasb | Civil Engr. | 7806 |

### Priority

Seed projects will be considered within the following categories and in the following order:

I New faculty members who require initial funding support while awaiting external funding, etc...

II Faculty members who wish to obtain external research funding for the first time or after a long absence of research activity due to administrative responsibilities, etc...

III Faculty members currently holding external funding (either as individuals or part of a team) and wishing to pursue a new research area.

CASA Report - 1984-85

The average Seed Grant awarded in 1984-85 was $1,992 and they ranged from $300 to $4,600.

A total of 60 requests were considered and these requests were handled as follows:

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| Grants awarded | 47 |
| Grants not approved | 13 |
| Grants refunded | 1 |

Breakdown by Faculty as follows:

| | No. | Amount |
|---|---|---|
| FACULTY OF ARTS AND SCIENCE | | |
| Division I | | |
| Total number of applications received | 6 | |
| Total number of grants awarded | 4 | 7,162.00 |
| Division II | | |
| Total number of applications received | 17 | |
| Total number of grants awarded | 11 | 15,050.00 |
| Division III | | |
| Total number of applications received | 11 | |
| Total number of grants awarded | 9 | 22,100.00 |
| FACULTY OF COMMERCE AND ADMINISTRATION | | |
| Total number of applications received | 13 | |
| Total number of grants awarded | 12 | 19,510.00 |
| Number of grants refunded | 1 | |
| FACULTY OF ENGINEERING AND COMPUTER SCIENCE | | |
| Total number of applications received | 10 | |
| Total number of grants awarded | 8 | 21,806.00 |
| FACULTY OF FINE ARTS | | |
| Total number of applications received | 3 | |
| Total number of grants awarded | 3 | 6,000.00 |
| TOTAL | | $91,628.00 |

Office of Research Services